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Bertrand RIVIÉRE	)	Group Art Unit: 3722
Application No.: 10/681,153	)	Examiner: UNASSIGNED
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For: MILLING TOOL AND CUTTING	)	
INSERT THEREFOR	)	

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Respectfully submitted,

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The documents are being submitted within three (3) months of the filing or entry of the national stage of this application or before the first Office Action on the merits, whichever is later. Since these documents are being filed within the time period set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b) no fee or statement is required.

It is respectfully requested that an Examiner-initialed copy of the attached form PTO-1449 be returned to the undersigned.

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